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Greatest Raid in History of U. S.; Tons of Literature Taken will Prove Guilt of 4,500 Anarchists

SWEEPING DRIVE IS MADE AGAINST RADICALS IN U. S.

Raids Ordered by Department of Justice Begin Promptly at 9 o'Clock in 33 Cities Over Country and 3,000 "Undesirables" Caught in Dragnet Will be Sent Back to Kith and Kin in Another "Soviet Ark."

WASHINGTON, Jan. 3.—In a sweeping drive against radicalism, agents of the department of justice were completing today nationwide raids against communists and organizations in which upwards of several thousand radicals were taken in custody with the view to deportation.

Raids were ordered in thirty-three cities over the United States and promptly at the hour of nine last night the operatives moved with clocklike precision in the roundup of communist workers and sympathizers. Today the number of arrests had risen to the highest figure of any similar raid in the history of the country.

The government hopes to fill another "soviet ark" and send it floating across the Atlantic to Bolshevik Russia where the radicals will be permitted to rejoin their kith and kin. The department of justice estimated that three thousand "undesirables" would be caught in the dragnet spread over the nation and with their deportation it was believed the backbone of radicalism in America will have been broken.

Raids Against Communists.

The raids were conducted particularly against communist and communist labor groups of radicals, the department of justice announced, with the object of obtaining evidence to submit to the department of labor for deportation of "a very large number of our most dangerous anarchists and radical agitators." The general charge of attempting to overthrow the government by force and violence was placed against those arrested.

Incriminating Documents.

The agents particularly searched for incriminating documents, some of which, they claimed, revealed plans to establish sovietism throughout the country to be later merged into a soviet council similar to the Russian council.

Attempts to organize the negroes in an attempt to overthrow the present political and economic system of the United States were disclosed, officials of the department said, and they admitted that the propaganda was of such far-reaching effect that trouble may yet be expected in some negro communities.

Fruitful Fields Among Ignorant.

Fruitful fields for the radical propagandists were found especially among the ignorant and foreign workmen, officials stated. A manifesto issued by the communist party stated that the propaganda was "the conscious struggle of the workers against capitalism" and it proposed to "end capitalism and organize a workers' industrial republic."

Deportation Warrants All Ready.

NEW YORK, Jan. 3.—Radicals held here today as a result of last night's country-wide roundup of apostles of anarchy, violence and sedition numbered between 100 and 150. The remainder of the six or seven hundred seized were released during the night after an investigation and will be watched by federal agents. Exact figures were withheld.

It is understood that all aliens named in the warrants will be deported as soon as possible and that American citizens among the "reds" will be turned over to police authorities for prosecution. It was said that 800 deportation warrants are ready for New York's agitators alone.

William J. Flynn, chief of the bureau of investigation of the department of justice, who directed last night's raids, said:

"We have succeeded, I think, in breaking the backbone of the radical,

revolutionary movement in America. These raids mark the beginning of the decline of organized, rabid revolutionism. We planned this move very carefully and the results have exceeded our expectations."

Waterbury 7; Racine, Wis., 7; East St. Louis 6. Total 4227.

Arrests reported singly or in groups of fewer than five probably will aggregate an additional 100 to 200. In some instances federal officers had not or would not make reports on the number of persons arrested.

Radicals Taken in Chicago and Detroit.

CHICAGO, Jan. 3.—More than 1500 radicals had been taken in a score of cities throughout the central west early today in the nationwide drive against anarchists and radical agitators. Almost 1000 of the number were contributed by Chicago and Detroit, which department of justice officials have declared were strongholds of organizations seeking the overthrow of the government by violence.

Reports From 40.

Reports from more than 40 cities throughout the country early today showed that more than 4000 alleged radicals had been arrested in the department of justice drive, as follows:

New York City 800; Detroit 500; Chicago 450; Jersey City 410; Newark 320; Philadelphia 290; Rockford, Ill., 183; Nashua 161; Buffalo 136; Milwaukee 98; Cleveland 75.

Trenton 75; Manchester 65; Boston 57; Springfield, Mass., 65; Kansas City, Kan., 45; Worcester, Mass., 52; Lynn, Mass., 46; Wilkesbarre, 40; Paterson, 40; Berlin, N. H., 40; Baltimore 35.

Lowell 30; St. Louis 16; Oakland, Cal., 20; Chelsea 24; Haverhill 21; Pittsburg 21; Portland, Ore., 20; Louisville 20; Holyoke 20; Minneapolis 17; Youngstown 16; Des Moines 15; Chicago 15; Bridgeport 15; St. Paul 10; Denver 9; Omaha 9; Lawrence 8; Toledo 8.

TONS OF LITERATURE SEIZED.

NEW YORK, Jan. 2.—In addition to examining the persons arrested, department of justice agents glanced over tons of literature, records and photographs seized in the raids. It would appear from some of the evidence seized at the office of the newspaper Novy Mir, they said, that sailors flying between this country and Europe had been engaged as secret messengers to convey correspondence between the "reds" in America and their brethren in soviet Russia. At the headquarters of the Communist World in Twelfth street, agents declared, they found the latest "red" posters imported from Europe appealing for the lifting of the Russian blockade and recognition of the soviet government. Wireless reports of conditions in soviet Russia also were found among the batches of materials seized.

The United States transport Killpatrick, under ship of the Buford, now on the high seas with the first consignment of deported radicals, probably will be used to transport the second contingent, it was announced at the federal building today.

Special Boards of Inquiry Organized.

Special boards of inquiry were organized at Ellis Island today and it was announced that hearings in the cases of those arrested would begin immediately. Those suspected of conspiracy to overthrow the government will be tried under section 6 of the federal anarchy statute, it was announced by department agents.

Among those held for deportation are virtually all the officers of the twelve communist party organizations in this city.

Ben Matthews, assistant United States attorney, announced that the raids were highly successful. Nearly all the men wanted were apprehended, he said, and those still at large would

FIGURES IN TRAGEDY



LOUISVILLE, Ky.—At top, Elizabeth Ford Griffiths, 17-year-old office girl, victim of a shooting mystery in this city. Below, Dr. Christopher G. Schott, arrested, charged with the shooting, which occurred in his office, and Lawrence Gardner, 13, by whom Dr. Schott hopes to prove an alibi. The girl claims she was with the doctor, delivering Christmas presents, at the time when the shooting took place.

It was announced that forty "hushy, reliable" men, who have been employed in shipyards and other places had been engaged to stand guard over the radicals who will be concentrated at Ellis Island.

Byron H. Uhl, acting commissioner of immigration, said today that the greatest congestion in the history of the island would result from the gathering there of the reds arrested in last night's raids. He declared there were no suitable facilities for the detention of so many in addition to those already held. Uhl said that because of this condition he had urged the department of justice and the bureau of immigration to make no more raids at this time.

CACHE OF ARMS DISCOVERED.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 3.—In Newark, N. J., department agents believed they discovered a cache of arms and equipment for destruction in last night's raid. Twenty-five rifles and some supposed bombs were seized. Bombs were said to be similar in construction to those sent through the mails to a large number of public men last summer. Agents also seized vast quantities of books, pamphlets and foreign language newspapers at Newark.

Attorney General Palmer said today that he had ordered last night's raids on the communist and communist labor parties only when department representatives had complete evidence showing that these two organizations advocated the overthrow of the government by force and violence. Both organizations are, comparatively speaking, new to this country. Their local societies were perfected in most cases not longer ago than last September.

The attorney general indicated his belief that the government activities against the two groups had nipped their growth in the bud.

AGENTS EXAMINE LITERATURE.

NEW YORK, Jan. 3.—Department of justice agents announced today that they were examining the literature seized in the raids last night to determine whether Ludwig C. A. K. Martens, self-styled ambassador to the United States of the Russian soviet republic, was connected with the distribution of the communist propaganda in this country. If this connection is established, they said they had sufficient evidence to warrant his deportation. The senatorial committee investigating soviet activities will be notified of the result of the investigation.

NEW YORK, Jan. 3.—The first men to arrive at Ellis Island were placed in room 103, which was occupied by Alexander Berkman and the other male anarchists recently deported on the transport Buford.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 3.—Arrests in the nation-wide raid last night and today had exceeded 4500 at noon. It was estimated at the department of justice. More than half of this number probably will be held for deportation, officials said.

Assistant Attorney General Garvan,

MRS. REID CARES FOR BODIES OF FAMOUS FAMILY

HARRISON, N. Y., Jan. 3.—The bodies of eight members of the family of Benjamin Holladay, who many years ago was known from coast to coast for his great wealth and the lavish manner in which he spent it, have been removed from the crypt under the little stone chapel at Ophir farm, in Purchase, where they had been for years, and placed in a vault at St. Mary's cemetery in Rye. The vault was constructed at the expense and under the direction of Mrs. Whitelaw Reid, widow of the American ambassador to the court of St. James, who now owns Ophir farm.

Mrs. Reid's action was prompted by the fact that many private cemeteries in Westchester county have been obliterated through changes in ownership of the estates upon which they existed and the desire to prevent such a contingency in the case of the Holladay family.

Benjamin Holladay, who made his fortune through ownership of the Ophir silver mine in Nevada, died in Portland, Ore., thirty years ago. Most of his once great fortune had gone by that time.

The bodies removed today include his, that of his wife and Jennie Lind Mary Holladay, Countess A. de Pourtales Gorgier, Pauline Cassandra de Bussiere, wife of Baron de Bussiere of Paris, Madge Holladay, Joseph C. Holladay and an unidentified infant. They had died in widely separated parts of the world, ranging from San Francisco to Hong Kong, and Kentucky to Paris.

In charge of the raids, said more than 2000 persons were held on "perfect cases" and that the raid promised to be not only the greatest in scope, but the greatest in results of any in history.

In every city where the raiding machinery was set in motion, he said, thousands of warrants were issued, but the arrests exceeded that number.

Besides the 2000 "perfect cases," Mr. Garvan said, federal agents obtained sufficient evidence to justify the arrests of the others.

Scores of parlor Bolsheviks were among those arrested in the raids, officials said. These, it was admitted, may have to deal with under state laws.

THREE WINK PLAN.

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Jan. 3.—The "three wink" system of calling police patrolmen to their boxes to receive orders from headquarters, has been approved by the public service commission here. The municipal street lighting system will be used. It is said that Los Angeles is the first city in the country to try the plan.

SHIPPING BOARD REPORT

NEW YORK, Jan. 3.—Vessels constructed for the shipping board during 1919 numbered 1159, totaling 6,229,323 deadweight tons. It was announced today by the board. Of this number there were 741 steel, 12 composite, 403 wood and 3 concrete ships.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 3.—The shipping board has offered for sale to American buyers thirty former German ships, including the gigantic Leviathan, the George Washington, the Asacomon and other well known passenger and cargo vessels. The sale carries restrictions that they must be purchased by American buyers and must be based on lines designated by the shipping board.

EXCHANGE IS POSSIBLE.

PARIS, Jan. 3.—(Havas).—Exchange of ratifications of the peace treaty with Germany on January 6 is still possible in the opinion of the Matin which says the Germans will have time before that date to forward explanations demanded by the peace conference.

GERMANY VIOLATES TERMS.

PARIS, Jan. 3.—(French Wireless Service).—Germany is exporting horses and cattle extensively to neutral countries in contravention of the terms of the peace treaty it is reported in dispatches from Brussels. The matter is being investigated by the reparations commission.

ATHENS, Jan. 3.—King Alexander fell when practicing jumping yesterday and broke an ankle. He will be forced to remain in bed for a month, according to his physician.

LEAGUE MEETING CALLED

Pres. Wilson Expected to Issue Final Notice to Delegates

PARIS, Jan. 3.—The call for the league of nations meeting, which has been issued, is regarded as a simple notification to enable the delegates to reach the appointed place in Paris in time for the meeting, formal notice of which it is still intended to have President Wilson issue, according to the present program.

It is pointed out in official circles that it is immaterial who issues the formal notice which will enable the delegates to reach Paris in time for the Paris meeting and that even the formal notice is a simple detail. The issuance of the formal notice devolves upon President Wilson by the provisions of the treaty of Versailles, but it is held that in case of his inability to act in the matter any other representative of one of the five principal powers forming the executive council of the league could issue the notice.

Baron Kurt von Lersner, head of the German mission here, has been ill for three days and the progress of the negotiations for a settling of the question of what dock and harbor tonnage is to be turned over by Germany as compensation for the Scapa Flow sinkings has suffered in consequence. The allied experts are continuing their comparisons of the German figures and the allied estimates, but a solution of the question involved in the differences between the two sets of figures is not clearly enough in sight, it would appear, to confirm the feeling in the more optimistic council circles that the peace protocol will be signed January 6. That date, however, still remains as the one fixed for the ceremony of the exchange of ratifications which would put the treaty into effect.

The question of organizing of the plebiscites to be held in territories provided for in the treaty also has been delayed in settlement pending a reply from Berlin as to whether the experts sent here have full authority to act for the German government. The supreme council has received a request from the commission on prisoners of war for authority to proceed to arrange with the German government for the transportation of prisoners home as soon as the peace becomes effective.

Fur Prices Will be High for Long Time to Come is Likely

NEW YORK, Jan. 3.—Reduction in fur prices is unlikely "for a long time," according to Norman H. Bacon, president of the New York Fur Auction Sales corporation. Mr. Bacon said today that on a recent trip to the middle west and Canada he was met everywhere by reports of short catches, especially of muskrats.

Prices for "rat" skins are rising daily in consequence. Trappers are making the most of the situation, he said, as are the country dealers who collect from the trappers.

Clemenceau Urging People of France to Rear Large Families

PARIS, Friday, Jan. 2.—Families of ten and twelve children are being urged by Premier Clemenceau, who is touring the department of Var, his constituency in the chamber of deputies. M. Clemenceau points out to his rural audiences the need of repopulating France, laying emphasis on the fact that large families are more common in northern than in southern France.

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WEATHER FORECAST.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 3.—Weather predictions for the week beginning Monday are:

- Upper Mississippi and lower Missouri valleys, northern Rocky mountain and plateau regions: Generally fair and normal temperature, but snow is probable the first part of the week.
- Southern Rocky mountain and plateau regions: Rains and snows at beginning of week, followed by generally fair thereafter. Normal temperature; considerable cloudiness and frequent rains.

Rumor of Marriage of Clemenceau to a Countess is Denied

PARIS, Jan. 3.—Allusion to the "approaching marriage" of Premier Clemenceau to the widow of a "former senator and former ambassador of France" is made by Humanite today. It is understood that this refers to gossip which has been current in Paris political circles for some days that M. Clemenceau had married Countess d'Aunay, widow of Count Charles Le Peletier d'Aunay, former ambassador of France at Bern. The marriage was said to have taken place in England a fortnight ago. An authority very close to the premier, however, declares the story is quite without foundation. The countess is of an American family.

Available records fail to show of what American family the countess d'Aunay is a member.

Two New Vegetables Are Propagated at a Botanical Garden

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Jan. 3.—Two new vegetables have been propagated at the Missouri botanical garden here, it was announced today by Dr. George T. Moore, director of the garden.

One has been named the "arracacha," and the other the "dasheen." Both resemble the potato and are said to be about equal in food value to it.

Dr. Moore explained the arracacha, when cooked is a bit darker than sweet potato and tastes like the parsnip. It is a rapid grower, he said.

Dasheens cooked in cream taste like cauliflower, and when baked have the flavor of a roasted chestnut. Dr. Moore amplified. They are related to the Egyptian Taro, commonly referred to as the "elephant ear," Dr. Moore said.

The announcement was made to delegates who attended the convention for the American Association for the Advancement of Science, which ended last night and remained over in St. Louis for today.

Daily Newspapers Raise Prices Two to Three Cents a Copy

NEW YORK, Jan. 3.—Six New York state daily newspapers have announced an increase in selling prices from two cents per copy to three, effective Monday. They are the Post Standard, morning, and the Herald and the Journal, evening, of Syracuse; the Morning Post, and the Journal, evening, of Jamestown, and the Troy Times. Increased costs of labor and materials were given as the reason in each case.

ALLIANCE, O., Jan. 3.—Albany's two morning newspapers, the Knickerbocker Press and the Argus, announced today that on Monday the price of daily papers would be increased from two to three cents.

Admiral Jellicoe to be Guest of Honor in New York City

NEW YORK, Jan. 3.—Admiral Viscount Jellicoe, Britain's former sea lord, met Lady Jellicoe here today upon her arrival from Ottawa and saw her aboard the White Star liner Adriatic bound for England. She was forced to abandon plans for continuing the world-wide tour with her husband on account of illness.

Tonight the admiral will be the guest of honor at a dinner at the University club and tomorrow he will go to Washington where he will don his uniform and resume his "official" visit to this country.

RUSSIA HAS NEW PARTY

General Denikine Overthrown and Successors Take Big Name

LONDON, Jan. 2.—General Denikine's government in southern Russia has been overthrown and General Romanovsky has been chosen to replace General Denikine as anti-Bolshevik chief, according to a Moscow quoting advice from Tagnanov. The report indicates that owing to defeats along the front, a coup d'etat occurred at General Denikine's headquarters known as the "Vozsachdenye Rossii," meaning the regeneration of Russia.

General Romanovsky, who is reported to have succeeded Denikine, may be the officer who has been acting governor and commander of anti-Bolshevik armies in the Far Eastern provinces of Siberia. There is no other Russian general by that name in available army lists.

Move to Provide Higher Wages For Ministers Succeeds

NEW YORK, Jan. 2.—Rev. J. W. Van Cleave, of Chicago, chairman of the Finance commission of the Methodist Episcopal church, said tonight that the movement to provide clergymen with higher salaries already had borne fruit. Eight conferences have agreed to pay a cash minimum of \$1,500 a year, he said. They are: Des Moines, Detroit, Illinois, Nebraska, Northeast Ohio, northwest Iowa, Rock River, Upper Iowa.

The conferences of central Illinois, Dakota, North Dakota and northwest Nebraska will pay \$1,400 and southern Illinois \$1,300.

The following conferences have placed the minimum at \$1,200: California, California German, Central German, Central Swedish, Colorado, Columbia River, Erie, Genesee, Idaho, Indiana, Iowa, Minnesota, Montana, northern Minnesota, North Montana, Ohio, Oklahoma, Puget Sound, southern California, west Ohio, west Wisconsin and Wyoming state.

In addition to the minimum cash salary virtually all the pastors have parsonage, supplied rent free.

Bolshevik Forces Rapidly Advancing in Donetz Coal Basin

LONDON, Jan. 2.—The advance of the Bolshevik forces in the Donetz coal basin is developing rapidly, according to a soviet wireless dispatch received today from Moscow. It is claimed that all the railway junctions between Bakhmut and Lugansk have been occupied and that the red lines are less than 65 miles east of Lugansk. With the capture of Novocheerkassky thousands of horses were taken, according to the soviet report which declared the occupation of Illovayskoye deprives the enemy of the only railway leading up to the front.

HARBOR STRIKE CONTINUES.

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 2.—There were no signs of an adjustment of the harbor strike today. Several steamers scheduled to sail remained at their berths because of inability to have tugs haul them into midstream. Six others which entered port today after having passed up the Delaware bay last night dropped anchor. No attempt will be made to dock them until tugs are available.

MOTORCYCLE RACER DIES.

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Jan. 3.—Robert Perry, motorcycle racer from Chicago, died last night from injuries received yesterday in the qualification trials at Ascot Speedway for the 100 mile race Sunday. Perry was riding at a speed estimated to be in excess of 65 miles an hour when his machine skidded. His skull was fractured.